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IVORY TOWER

As we approach the midway mark of our tour we hope that the pace will slacken here at the JOC. Maybe we Clks will get two 48 hr passes in the next three months instead of one. But then, no rest for the weary!

For those of you who don't know me, let me introduce myself. I am Pte Maurice Moody attached from 1 Svc Bn Calgary. If you have been reading some of our past reports from the Ivory Tower, you may have been led astray somewhat by one MCpl Stephen D. Shirk III. So after three months of abuse I have decided to intervene and set things straight. You know how these MCpls operate. Pay no attention men, we all know it's the Pte/Cpl who keeps the wheels turning. Now that you know who keeps this place operational, let me give you the latest. It's plain to see that my fellow Clks here aren't as PT active as myself. They have been noted on occasion to "whimp out" of their mile and a half. But ironically this morning it was Sgt Gibb who showed up for for his, and one MCpl Shirk who somehow managed to be late? I guess I'll have to take them out for some training.

Meanwhile, Capt Newman and MCpl Steele are still making their regular line tours, but have not yet found the "Holy Kabob".

Lt Nordick, just over from A Coy seems to be doing a good job of filling Lt "Swift Edward" Vailancourt's place on the DO roster. At least he hasn't requested us to work 24 hrs a day.

Capt Tymchuk and Lt Hansen who have both spent some time at the MIR lately, are wished a speedy recovery. Maybe the best medicine would be to stay away from the parties at the Officers' Mess for awhile. I will make hounourable mention to Lt Baker here also. I have noticed him using the term "wog" rather loosely around here. I hope he isn't referring to the Clks, we can make life miserable for the DOs if necessary.

Last but not least, I have to mention HQ Coy Office staff. Capt Hanrahan has ably replaced Capt Dillon as Coy 2i/c, who has returned to Canada to attend a career crse. Then we have Pte "Buzz" MacEachern, coy clk, who recently switched hotels for a night. He wasn't impressed, neither were the staff, so he's back. Or course, I couldn't forget the CSM, MWO Moeller who seems to be busy these days. He held a parade this morning which very few attended, but by the commands he was using, they'll remember it for sometime.

If I haven't offended too many people and this article makes it to the printers, I'll be seeing you next edition.



SECTOR FOUR HOSTED THE UNITED NATIONS FORCE IN CYPRUS OPERATIONS OFFICERS CONFERENCE ON THE 23 JUN 78. PARTICIPATING WERE MEMBERS FROM ALL SECTOR CONTINGENTS AND UNFICYP HQ.



LCOL L. W. MACKENZIE AND RSM W. COLBURN CELEBRATE THE LAYING OF OPS E GOLDEN SANDBAG. IN ATTENDANCE LT BROOKS MCPL MARTIN, OPS E AND MCPL BROWN SIG PL ABSENT FROM THE PROTO IS CPL HUNTER OPS E.

OPS B

It's the end of another month and our Sect is still busy as beavers. We have finished our two bunkers even though Cpl Wells kept saying "We don't have enough sandbags"! Cpl Wells you can put the extra ones in your room.

July 1st is the big day for four members of the section. After that they'll be able to wear the UN Medal and tell "War stories" when they get home. That should be bor-r-ing!

MCpl Parker who has just finished a week with Britcon at St David's Camp found it very interesting, especially trying to figure out what a "gofer" is! Some of his activities included patois, indoor soccer and swimming and not necessarily in that order.

MCpl Pirie returned from leave to find himself in charge of the quarter guard for the Minister of External Affairs. The CSM was so happy with his drill he let MCpl Pirie volunteer for the parade on the 1st of July. Keep up the good work Gus.

MCpl Archer is still busy taking photos of everyone or every thing. He wishes someone would ask for a photo of the pool so he could get his suntan a little darker.

Capt Romses is hard at work in his office trying to sort out the memos and paper that seems to appear from nowhere when he steps out for a breather. His office just received a new coat of paint and doesn't look like a dungeon any more.

Cpl Polupski is off to Germany for two weeks leave. Maybe he won't be tasked for any graphic arts while he's out playing golf.

Well that it for this week and remember the motto of OPS B.

KITDAFOHS.

RECCE

The screeching of tires, the smoke, the excitement, the blue flag and they're off — 6¹ is on patrol again with 63 a close se-

cond. No one knows when 63 will make the big decision to take the lead. Although patrolling is our primary task we've had many secondary tasks that have drained our manpower — building bunkers in the Wolseley Bks Officers Mess is one of these. We've finished most of these now except the bunker that 63 built — it has to be redone (it's got so many holes in that it looks like the MCpls' Account). Other taskings include the Canada Day Guard, annual SMG classification, etc. We just proved that Recce's not restricted to vehicles when we did our mile and a half. There were some pretty good times with MCpl "Legs" Conniff in the lead.

We've had a recent change around in Recce. MCpl "It's my fan" Jednorog and Cpl "It's my turn" Mockford are finally going to get away from arguing about who's turn it is to stand in front of the fan and find out what the patrol route is all about. What's it like to work again guys?

MCpl "Aiming Mark" Rayner found out that Cypriot birds don't like UN blue peaked caps. Lucky that you weren't drowned eh Jack? It would be pretty hard to explain that on paper.

Pte "T & D" Williams wishes to thank the MPs for his wonderful holiday at the Crowbar Hotel. He said that the price was right and that they always keep you entertained and is hoping for a return visit soon.

As the HQ Coy soccer team is made up mainly by Recce, I'd like to say "keep trying guys"! You should get rid of that keeper — he's picked up too many ideas from the Argentinian keeper. You should find out how much he makes a month and how much he has in his pocket — you may find that he has a lot of extra money!

Well that's it for this week. By the way, you can all sleep soundly now as MCpl "Let's Rattle" Hrehorick will be listening and watching for any fires that may occur during the next 14 days or so!

A COY AT LEDRA PALACE



"KNEW I SHOULDN'T HAVE GIVEN HIM THE KEYS"
CAPTAIN HACKEL AND CPL PERRAULT

SWEATHOG'S GRUNT

Well hello again from elite 1 platoon. We've adorned the sunny OPs of Mojave and Orchard on line west with 2 section swaning at resort Kronberg where they paid tribute to newly promoted MCpl MacIsaac. He was presented his UN medal by

none other than our chief sweat-hog thus becoming the first Patricia of this tour to receive one. Now he's departed for 3 weeks of recuperation from that fantastic (AHM) turkey and wine dinner.

One of our distinguished members has rejoined us from

far off Deutschland and took a step up the ladder. Congratulations sarge... whoops, I mean Warrant!

Some of our extra sharp drill queens are having a few fulfilled days of rehearsal for the Foe de-Joie coming up. Even the Big Blue Beret "Mad Flash" is out there.

Everything is quiet on the line as the NG/TK know better than to fool around with the sweat-hogs of good ole Fighting Big Red.

A big welcome from 1 platoon to the new faces in our line up. Going to 3 section are Ptes "Where are you" Willisko and "Silver Tusk" Gagnon and playing 2i/c in 2 section is Cpl Mrozinski.

So until next time, so long from the elite.

SECOND-TO-NONE

It has been brought to our attention that the other platoons have given themselves names in their platoon articles.

We of course have refrained from this in the past because we felt that this form of recognition was not necessary for a platoon as naturally impressive as ours. So, for the sake of military uniformity and to correct the name that was given to us in a past Ric-A-Dam-Doo, we will in future use "Second-to-None".

In the past two weeks "Second-to-None" has manned the OPs on the west line of the buffer zone, and besides an extra increase in briefings and vigorous foot drill it has been fairly quiet. As a matter of fact it was so quiet that people began to ask each other WHY? Suddenly it dawned on us why; Sgt "Yappy" Elson just happened to be

spending his two weeks leave in Europe. Normally it is the wife who yaps the ears off her husband but in this case I pity Mrs Elson. Well, why not they have been away from each other for at least two whole months.

At Mojave the TF and GK will be sad to see the last of the great song and dance duo of Pte "Miss French Grey Cup" Doyle and Pte Venedam who have enjoyed two weeks of entertaining both sides in the quest for fame and stardom, but as they say the show must go on and they will continue their tour on the east end of the line. Our platoon commander Lt Pillar never did find the radio but then I don't think he was actually trying because he likes the music just as much.

Our men at Kronberg enjoyed themselves Sgt "Leg" McLean has fortified them with some pretty ritzy meals such as "hamburger deluxe and fried fish". He stated in his usual modest way that men have always been the best cooks.

Pte "Frenchy" Corbin will be happy to get back onto line east where once again his stories will start. When Lt Pillar asks the soldiers how things are going on the OP Corbin will say, "at 1300 one lady looked out her window and at 2000 another lady waved at me". Stay cool Corbin.

All in all if the next three months are as enjoyable and productive as the last three months we should find ourselves homeward bound before we know it.

So long til next article.

CHARLIE'S ANGELS

3 platoon has again survived another two weeks on Stanby.

Led by the likes of Pte "Watch Dog" Wilson and Pte "Pistol Pete" Preston the front gate, otherwise known as OP Ledra South, was in good hands.

We had another forest fire by Camp Kronberg which the platoon, with a small token force from our sisters, easily handled in our typically flawless style.

A page in history was written by the platoon as we celebrated ...er... saluted the loss of our fearless commander Lt "Beachball" Nordick. The men of 3 platoon showed their appreciation for all he has done and the fact that he is the longest surviving platoon commander in recent history. He responded by trying to outdrink the whole platoon. Later, after his untimely demise, he was escorted by the platoon to his room to ponder his fate in Ops A. Good luck and best wishes.

Our princesses "Hukka" Harley and "Edith" Estey entertained us with acts of grace and charm and to their amazement found that a small table will not hold two screaming zulu warriors.

So long for now. Remember love is "BLUE".



PTE WHITAKER A COY

B COY AT THE DUST BOWL CML



MCPL BURKE AND CPL HUSSEY
ENJOYING A REFRESHING DIP IN THE POOL AT BBC

HQ B COY

The company HQ is again in good hands/fingers, for the company clerk, Pte "Fingers" Miles, has recently returned from his mid-tour leave in Israel. When asked whether he was faithfully doing his finger exercises during his break he asked for clarification as to which finger exercises were being done — but only silence greeted his query.

There has been a lot of squeaking and mumbled threats of over-running road checkpoints being heard in the company office lately, but a favourable SMG range return for the company has appeased the CSM and left him with only the plot to nab the next ice-cream soldiers (Log coy take note) crossing his parade square.

In an attempt to keep company vehicle mileage to an acceptable total the CQMS and the Transport NCO — Sgt Johansen, have been pedalling their b---s around CML. Ptes "Horny" Hornbrook and "Bunsten Burner" have finally had their big chance to crank up the company APCs in preparation for a possible operational call out. The smiles soon faded from their faces when word to "stand down" came from the OC. The big question which one wonders about is how did they get so much .50 cal ammo into one tracked vehicle?

It has been rumored that the CQMS is writing a book called — "Pumping Lead", an exposé on how to develop big forearms or, How to influence people but disappoint your boss". WO

"Arms" Pelkey has thwarted the CO's attempt to put all the Snr NCO's down (wrist wrestling style i.e.). Is there truth to the story that the Adjt and CO are hustling??? Anyone need a strong-armed Mess bouncer? — phone Ext 35 (CML) and ask for "Arms".

Company storemen MCpl Alderson and Ptes Welfing and Coon have been harbouring an ass in their compound. When Pte Coon jumped on this beast of burden's back, his fellow workers remarked that they hoped they would only have to feed hay to one of the two. In preparation for the 01 Jul celebrations Sgt "Ranger" Walker has rented a donkey to pull the company float. Is it true that the Snr NCOs are thinking of adopting a mascot — do you want a suggestion Mr PMC???

FIGHTING FOUR

Since our last report things have been going smoothly. Sgt "Dear Don" Vardy has sent, on the average, nine letters a week to himself, while MCpl "Bamm Bamm" Miller has been heard practising his "Charlie Two's" for when he leaves 1 Sect for Coy Sigs.

Our future officer Pte R. L. Pultz has one thought on his "July 6" mind when he will finally quit singing the McDonalds theme and begin the training march, GOOD LUCK!

Pte P. Blank has reduced his conversation to a laugh and Cpl Bulter is beating his head against the wall trying to count sheep but ends up counting stars.

MCpl R. Zubkowski has retur-

ned from leave along with Pte E. Davis, both are looking forward to the rest on reserve platoon, and Pte T. J. Gallagher has left for England to wear himself out.

Rumors are thick about our fearless leader Lt Fredrickson who has unusually red eyes and travel fatigue.

Sgt D. Walker, while swamped in paper work has planned our 10-milers and continues to practise for a platoon run and a "Ranger" flashback.

Now our platoon must practise drill for medals parade and continue their cheerful standard on reserve platoon. Have fun til next time from the Fighting Four.

FIVE PLATOON

Some day we're going to think up a better title than just "FIVE PLATOON". Numbers are so boring, but we do admit that we're not angels like some people downtown call themselves.

After a gruelling two weeks on reserve platoon duties, the platoon once again mans OP's Royal, Turkey Farm, and Liz.... OOOOOOOOPS!!!!..... I really meant to say C-46, C-47, and C-57. There, I told you I knew the numbers. A highlight of our tour as reserve platoon was travelling to Xerl to fire the .50 cal HMG. You could sure see a lot of daylight shine through the ¾ ton truck that had the misfortune of running into the likes of Deadeye Hornbrook and Burnout Hotchkiss. Life on the OP's has been quite uneventful by comparison. MCpl Ledden has recently completed a face-lifting of the bunker at C-47.

Two new observation ports were constructed in record time. It's a wonder what you can do with a deuce-and-a-half jack!

This week we say good bye to our platoon commander who has gone to the Ivory Tower to count sheep. We really can't complain too much and extend a warm welcome to Lt Brooks.

SUPER SIX

Well the Super Six has done it again, we've managed to last another month in sunny Cyprus. This month we have been involved with range qualifications, work parties on bunkers and the kitchen along with our regular OP duties.

Pte Kirkby who was in BMH Akrotiri was welcomed back to the platoon even though it was only for a couple of days before being repatriated back to Canada (for medical reasons). Also leaving is MCpl MacDonald who is off to greener pastures to become an officer and, hopefully, a gentleman. Good luck Mac and CFOCS. At this time we would like to welcome the two newest members to the platoon, Cpl Barr from Log Coy and Cpl Saunders from Canada.

Ptes Chandler, Gibbons and Staple are now on leave seeing if they can survive a week on the Reeperbohn. Only time will tell.

Well the halfway point in the tour is here and all is in preparation for the Medals Parade and the 01 July celebrations. Now begins the downhill portion of the tour.

Well that's about it from Super Six. Until next time take care.

LOG COY AT BBC



LT GALLANT ENJOYS THE FINE THINGS IN CYPRUS WITH OTHER MEMBERS OF THE TPT PL

CANCON BOR

Once again its time to report on the numerous activities involved in running the Cancon Bor while trying to maintain a high level of physical fitness, mental alertness and general all-round professionalism.

Life here in Cyprus continues to be a challenge as all 831's strive to follow the example of our Adjutant, Major RK McDiarmid, who continues to spread his workload between Ledra and BBC, constantly distributing paper. Major McDiarmid departs for Canada on 20 July 1978 and then is off to CFSC Toronto. Best of luck Major McDiarmid.

Our Chief Clerk, WO Gord Zenert, recently returned from his two weeks in Germany, vowing to clean up his act — right up until repat — and not to allow any unforeseen difficulties (opportunities) to sway his better judgement. The planned trip to Ismailia on 14 July (3 exhibition ball games with Maint Coy Egypt) should prove quite enjoyable as WO Zenert already has his bags packed and boarding pass at the ready. To WO Zenert and MCpl Gorman, our rcds clk, good luck on your upcoming games and continue your winning ways.

As repats increasingly become more of a priority, our R&D Sgt, Jack Weaver, is becoming a bit disappointed: "All those travel claims, and not one with my name on it" — hang in there

Jack, October is rolling around very fast.

We cannot maintain the administrative role without mentioning our Central Registry Clerk, MCpl Jim Wilson — as the paper war heats up, he is the lucky one who gets to start and cease all correspondence. This, coupled with the hot Cyprus sun, daily runs and determination have left him 17 lbs less than when he arrived and eager to lose more. Keep up the good work Jim.

Cpl Jim Blackstock, our busy Movements Clerk, is leaving us on Monday the 3rd of July for two weeks of exploring the city of Limassol. Jim, enjoy your much deserved holiday. While you're away we will struggle along somehow, but remember we repat October 1978.

Everyone is looking forward to the July 1st celebrations, as Cyprus takes on a Calgary flavour, complete with Stetsons — so until then, work hard, play hard, and we will see you all on July 1st. Cheers.

LOG COY HQ

Log Coy HQ landed in Cyprus on 23 Mar and have not stopped working yet. Headed by Maj Wayne Dehnke and CSM Jim Carroll, the Coy has been turned into a finely tuned machine; but to accomplish all of this the two of them quit smoking and went into a heavy PT Programme. The Maj is now approaching the 200 mile plateau and

the CSM had nearly half that figure when he pulled a ligament in his ankle while trying to teach the Coy Clk, MCpl Murray Aalders, how to play tennis. The ankle should be coming along nicely now because the CSM is now with his wife in Germany.

During the absence of the CSM the Coy is being ramrodded by WO Frank Brignell and it should be added that he is doing a fine job of entertaining the 8 CH Recce Party. In his spare time he is trying to persuade the Coy Clk to go "Airborne". Good luck!

WO Howie Gagnon is the Jack-of-all-trades, filling in for Mess Managers and Warehouse Pers while they are on leave. Also he is a very key member of the Coy Ball Team. Sgt George Hibbs is taking care of the BBC Civilian Force and I would like to ask if he is getting his pitcure taken lately. MCpl Ray Knowles is off to Great Britain for a well-deserved rest from the BBC JRC (Heaven knows, he deserves it).

I would also like to bring to light the great work of the CQ Staff. These guys do great work and get overlooked. Many thanks to WO Brignell, MCpl Cliff Carson and Cpls Roy Coolen and Brian Laybolt.

I don't want to forget the OC's Dvr, Cpl "Hughie" Hubert who has put in some long hours — mainly telling war stories and chasing cypriot women.

Last but certainly not least, we bid a fond farewell to our 2i/c Capt. "Shortimer" Schapansky who is departing for his new position in Wainwright. Some people get all the luck and lots of it to you "Shortimer".

TRANSPORT

Greetings from the back bone of the Canadian Contingent, your friendly, carry anything, anytime Transport Platoon.

During the past few weeks we have been very busy. Almost all drivers were involved with the 8 CH Recce Party and the visit of the Minister of External Affairs. As usual, we did manage. However we did have to send our Chief Despatcher on a run to the Airhead. Glad to get out of the office George? MCpl Casey was upset this week because he couldn't go to the ranges. There's always a next time Joe.

As we turn the corner past the half way mark, we welcome two new additions into our establishment; a hearty hello to Pte Wiltshire from Rear Party and Cpl Ulrich from Pioneer Platoon (intact with his dozer).

In closing we sadly say farewell to Pte Glover, a left-over from 2 RCR who still refuses to rebadge. So long I.S., been good to have you aboard.

Until next time, keep the rubber side down, and the shiny side up!

HQ COY TO THE RANGES



MCPL FLETCHER FINDS HIMSELF LOADING FOR HIS FRIENDS



CPL BENNET EXPLAINS TO CAPT HANRAHAN. "YES THAT'S WHERE THE ROUND GOES UP THAT LITTLE HOLE."



CAPT DILLON LEAVING CYPRUS WITHOUT FINDING THE HOLY KEBAB

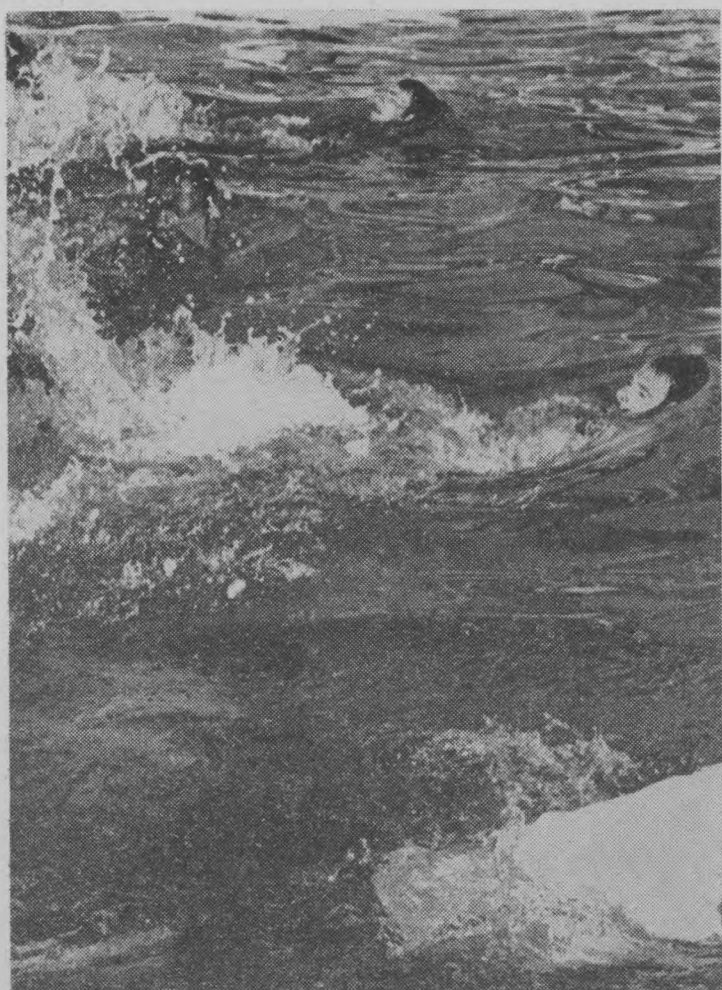


MCPL DUGGAN IS UNABLE TO LOCATE THE HOLY KEBAB IN A ROUTINE MP INSPECTION AT LEDRA PALACE

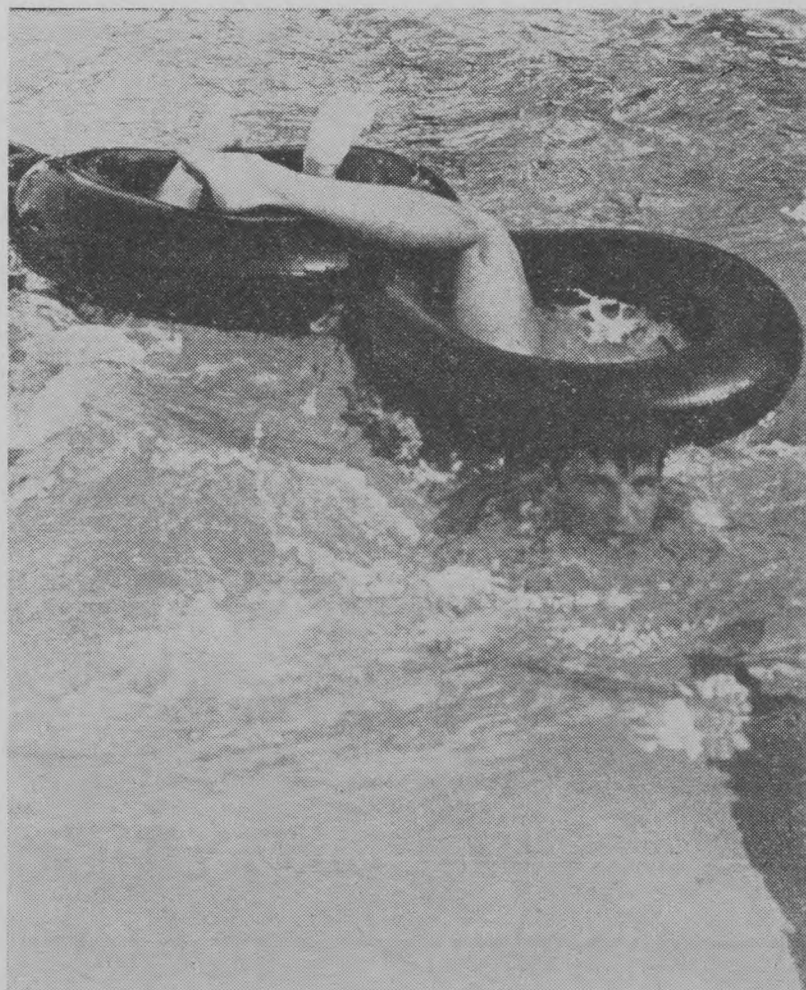
THE OFFICERS MESS SWIM MEET



THE SUBBY TOSS:
LT VAILANCOURT FINDS HIMSELF BEING TOSSED AGAIN AND AGAIN INTO THE POOL



THE ONE-FOOTED FLIPPER RACE



THE TUBE RACE

BEAVER BAR

So what's been happening at the Beaver Bar? It's always so quiet in that farflung corner of the sector, you don't hear much from within those closely and jealously guarded walls. What evil really lurks there. Not even the shadow knows — he's not a member of the Beaver Bar.

"Sprout" Goral can still be found burning the mid-night oil while tinkering over his plastic creations. The occasional bleat much like that of a sheep (really a poor imitation) emanates from his corner in anticipation of new employment.

Kurt Fredrickson is the Fish Officer. His sole existence hangs precariously on the fate of 7 goldfish, the "Goral family" (our guppies) and some rather unattractive algae eaters. So far the scales are favourable. (No pun meant there). He does well, OCP not withstanding.

'Harry O' Harrison has been at fever pitch, doing about six line tours a week. Could it be he's taken his 2 weeks too early? The major is worried about him.

Speaking of the major, 'Bugs' Grimshaw has been consistent to say the least. He hasn't spent 2 nights in camp. The junior officers are not envious of attending cocktail parties, mess dinners, dinings-in, dinings-out and dinings-whatever for after all we have the movies. After all, one can go to Monte Carlo with Herbie the Love Bug, or search for the Holy Grail with the greatest collection of misfits since.... Yes the movies.... sometimes our only hope of sanity on the island.

Finally a grand 'skylark' (OCP see RMC for definition) was perpetrated by Captains 'Scream-er' Ruiters and 'Yes-my-son' Krause, two wankers of the lowest degree. A baseball game had been scheduled between the Battling Bee and another luckless Canadian company. Knowing this, this nefarious duo strategically sited a lawn table, chairs, wine chilled just so, and some munchies — and armed with binoculars and a scoreboard recorded the ball and sauna figures — and appropriately attired.... yes, you can guess the rest. Both scores were low. Maybe next week. We have nothing but time.

NEWS FROM THE FRONT

Happy Hour at the CML

Those rare occasions, that are only seen regularly every Friday and Saturday night; at our local JRC.

First off, "Jungle Joe" alias "the Chief" or just "CHUG" is giving demos on the "FINE ART of KUNG FU". The trend started when the chief hung around the TV until 1200 at night to get both showings of "GRASSHOPPER". Way to hang in there, Joe.

For those who prefer a quieter note, there's the nightly game of Euker. The club has been noticed exercising the "Low Deal" or some say just "Miss

Deal"! @\$*.... The game always ends on a good note with a cool Carlsberg, thanks to the losers. So come on down and play with our good sportsmen and don't forget your money to pay for the beer.

We have the finest selection of pool players that ever displayed talent with a cue, consisting of MCpl "Juice Harp" McDonald, Pte "Motor Mouth" Aastrom, ending with the champ, MCpl "Spindle Legs" Bynkoski. You guys down at Ledra haven't seen such pool sharks with such performance, come down and shoot a few games.

There is one storeman on base who showed our British exchange people how a Canadian can shotgun beer and wolf your cookies at the same time. Thanks goes to the Wellfing, "PLOP-PLOP-FIZZ-FIZZ-OH-WHAT-A-RELIEF-IT-IS".

Between Benny Benoit, Charbonsnooze and "Gertie" Giebel the dance floor is always occupied with Disco Dancing Action, but the only problem with these "Disco Ducks" is that they keep bothering the other guys to dance with them. (It is said that too much sun burns the brains).

It looks like our pinball wizard for the month is Pte "Rack-em-up" Viscount, with the score of 128,000 points which is going to win him a set of gold dog-tags donated by JRC.

We also have the finest entertainment on the island, SHAKY contributes to this by friendly notes on the guitar, and sings his favorite, "BELLY-UP TO THE BAR BOYS".

We congratulate Sgt Peverelle for his promotion, we are going to miss his ever ending presence in our mess. We also say good-bye to MCpl MacDonald. He's leaving us to go back to good "OLE" Canada for officers' training. Good luck to the CF to try to make a gentleman out of a sow's ear. Pte Pultz figures he will tag along with him.

Well this ends another month of fun in the sun at our sunny resort inn. There is nothing like a cool one to wet your whistle so stop in YOU ALL and pay us a visit. SEE YOU AT THE "OLE" WATERING HOLE, THE CML JRC.

CML WOS' & SGTS' MESS

Well here it is the middle of the tour and the CML WOs' and Sgts' Mess is still going strong. Many renovations have been done to the Mess over the past three months under the expertise of WO's Frank Legge and Tom Pelkey. Now it is time to sit back and enjoy the fruits of their labor.

Our fish pond, as of late, has become the centre of attraction with Sgt Joe Johansen taking over as guardian of the pond now that Sgt Dennis Turbide is on leave. Joe decided it was time to repaint the pond and got some anti-green paint and proceeded to give the pond its

third painting in three months.

Our CQ, Tom Pelkey, and soon to be Ops Sgt, Jim Bell, have just returned from leave in Germany as is obvious by their large smiles and contented looks on their faces. Obviously they had a good time. Don't worry our leave is coming up soon.

On the 22 of June the Mess hosted the 8 CH Recce Party to a Kebab night. A good time was had by all and the consensus around here is we cannot wait till we see them again in October.

Also, on the 10th of June, a CANCON Happy Hour was held at the Mess. This was also a success which was evident by the slow movement the next day of all members.

We would like to take this time to welcome the newest member of the Mess, Sgt Ken Peverelle, who was recently promoted and at the same time say good-bye to Sgt Ken Lyle who was posted to the CANCON Officers' Mess as the cook sgt. Best of luck down there Ken. In closing we want to say that our NEW swinging doors are always open.

LEDRA PALACE

CPL/PTE's CLUB

With so many things going on, it has been impossible until now to find time to sit down and put together a newsworthy report from the MADHOUSE of the Cpl/Pte's Club.

As we finally got our own Cpl/Pte's Club on 11 May, the festivities started by throwing a big bash to celebrate the riddance of the bor-r-ring Master Corporals. Under the direction of the new PMC, Corporal J. D. LeBlanc, things took a fast and new swing. For all the sex-starved perverts stag films were laid on every Friday... Never having laid eyes on any naked female flesh live or on film, Pte "Cherry Boy" Leger is always at the front of the line with his "Shiteating grin", already soaking wet with nervous anticipation...

Pte Don Irwin had the honour of presenting a Regimental plaque to the Ledra Palace Cpl/Pte's Club civilian staff from all members of the Club. May it be noted that for the first time (?) in Regimental history, the plaque is engraved in both English and French... With the PMC being an "Acadian French Fry", Cpl "René Levesque" Perreault as Secretary and Cpl "Froggy" Gignac as Entertainment Chairman, what can you expect!!!! I guess that's one way to show we're doing our part in keeping our country together!!

May 6th proved to be a fantastic evening with six different tournaments organized. In the competition were the members

of the Club against 30 British soldiers who came down in return for our boys' visit to their Club on 30 April. A good time was had by all, especially the Champs of the tournaments who were as follows: Ping Pong — Pte Al Garnon; Pool — Cpl Bernie Currie; Snooker — Cpl Ron Bennett; Darts — Cpl McIsaac and Pte Thurston; The drinking contest — Pte Jay Harley and last but not least the fustball champs — two British soldiers... A total of £16,000 was given away in prizes...

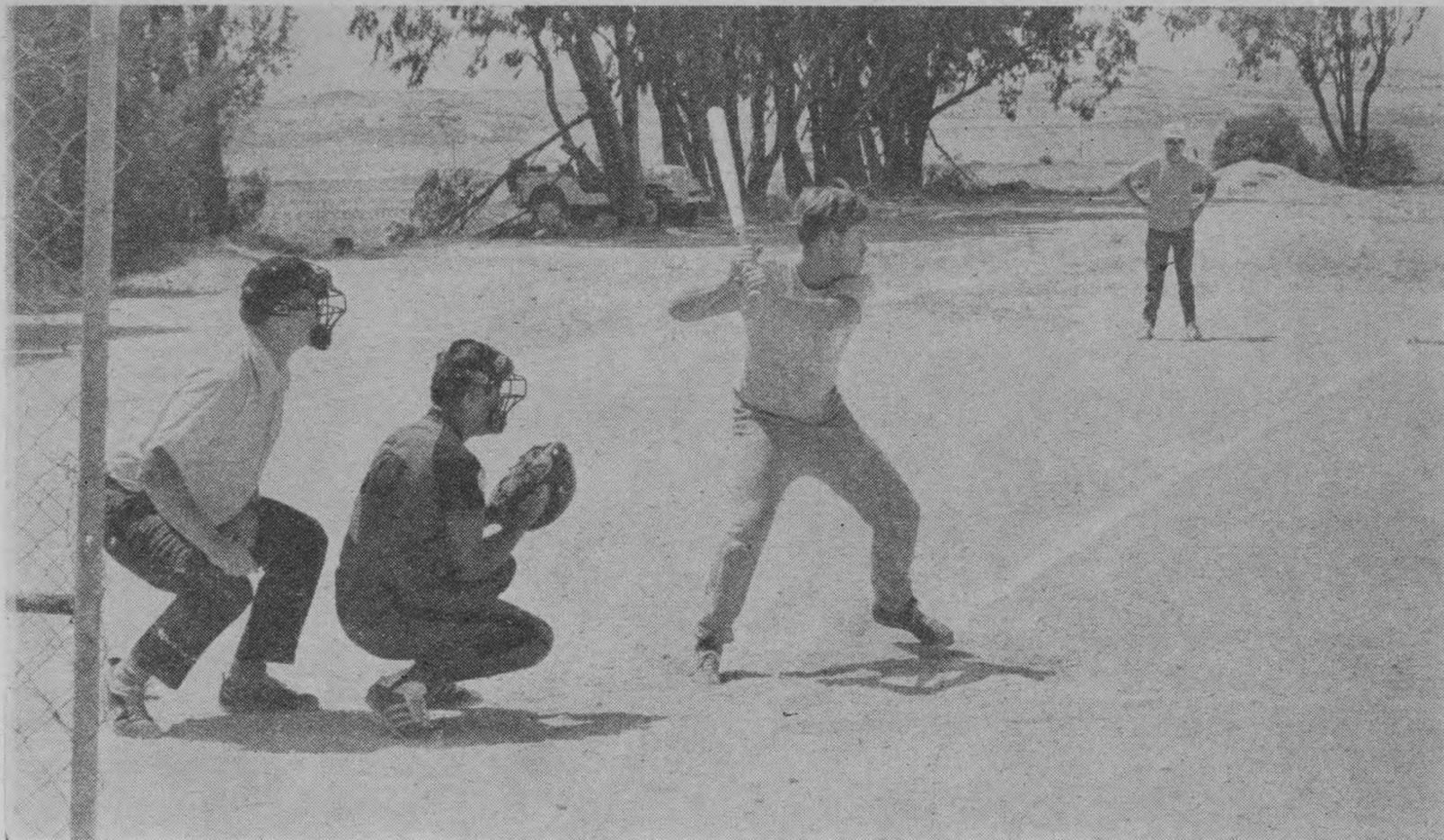
Not to be outdone, the next big event was on June 4th with a packed house for the live entertainment which was brought in just for us! It goes without saying that with all the free booze laid on by our most generous PMC and of course, paid for by the treasurer, Cpl Mike Ward, a tremendous time was had by all. Our most sincere thanks go to the Commanding Officer, Deputy Commanding Officer, the RSM and MCpl Doug McIsaac for their most superb performances which really made the evening a resounding success... What a smash up we had!!

Congratulations go to our pin ball wizzards... Pte Grant Evans who received a £9,000 wall rug for his first place finish and Pte Dan Preston who received a £4,000 electric lighter for his not-too-far-behind second place finish.

With all that's taking place in the Ledra Palace Cpl/Pte's Club, it would be quite a chore to try and report all that's taking place within the mess, but one thing which cannot go unreported is the ability of our Club's baseball team to defeat ANY other team which are brave enough to play against us and suffer an embarrassing defeat. Only three games have been played so far, all against the Master Corporal's Lounge (suckers for punishment!!). The scores were as follows: Game 1—9—9— (we won, they got us all drunk!). Game 2—13—6 for the Cpl/Pte's Club and Game 3—26—9, a boring victory... Although Mike Goodwin, the Sports Chairman has challenged Sgt "Old Timer" McLean's WO and Sgts Mess Team, nothing has come out of it... Come on guys, we'll let you 'old' fellas get a few runs!!! We'll even have the pace-makers out for you!!

We also challenged the Officers' Mess Team, but nothing again... It's quite alright Gentlemen, it wouldn't be a fair game anyway... we just couldn't stop laughing long enough to play ball!!!! The challenge is on, who's next?

That's all for now we'll be back after Medals' Pde and Canada Day celebrations... Watch for Bring Your Boss Night coming your way soon!!



**MURRAY AALDERS PREPARES TO HIT A HOMER.
WHO SAYS PITCHERS CAN'T HIT?**

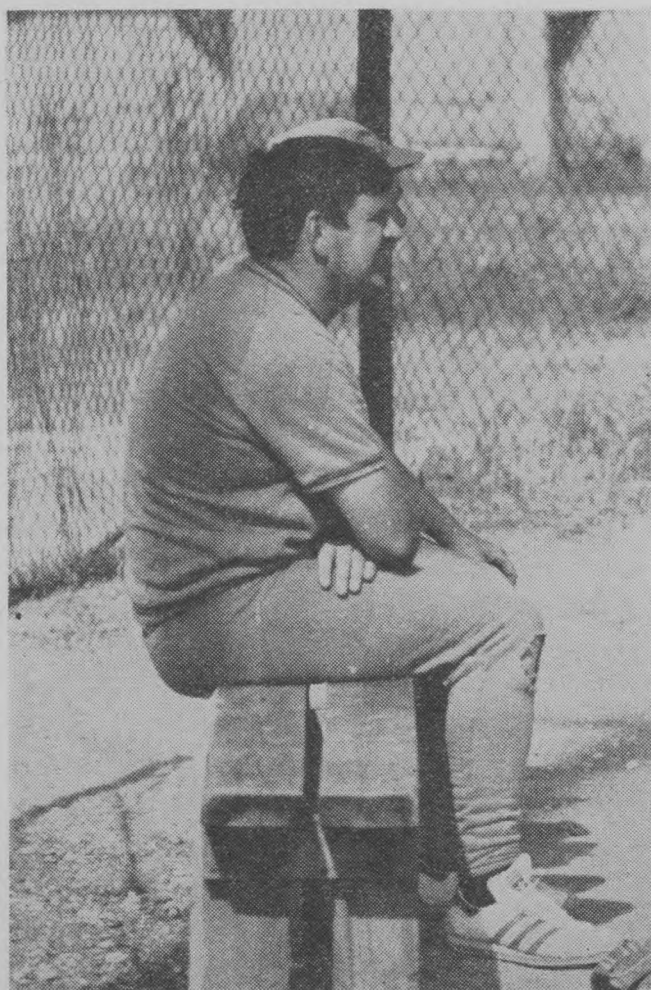


THE BASEBALL TEAM FROM ISMAILIA



LOG COY BASEBALL TEAM

LOG COY FASTBALL



PUT ME IN COACH, I'M HOT!

On Friday 16 Jun, the Maint Coy from Ismailia landed in Cyprus to do battle with Log Coy in a three game fastball series.

After a small reception Friday afternoon in the JRC, the teams were ready to play ball on Saturday morning.

After the CO threw the first pitch, maint Coy went to work and scored 8 runs in the first two innings, including two home runs. Not to be denied, Log bounced back with 11 runs in the fourth paced by Steve Pottle's home run and double. From then on it was a sea-saw battle until the last of the seventh, when Maint Coy squeezed across two runs and won the game 16—15.

In the afternoon contest Log Coy came out fighting and won the second game 10—4. The winning pitcher, Mur-

ray Aalders, also belted a home run to lead the attack. During this game, there were several key defensive plays, one in particular by Ted Bain.

So the stage was set for game three. On Sunday morning Log Coy left no doubt in anyone's mind that they were the better team. Paced by the brilliant 4 hit pitching of Howie Gagnon and strong hitting performance by Bob McNab who hit two home runs and a double, driving in seven runs, Log won easily 19—1. Also hitting round trippers were Eric Gorman and Murray Aalders. This contest was highlighted by perfect drag bunting and good fielding by Reggie Beauchamp.

The weekend concluded in the JRC, where a Bar-B-Q for all ranks was held and a good time was had by all. The Log Coy team is looking forward to their return trip to Ismailia on 14 Jul.



EXHILARATION HIGH

THE NEW UNFICYP VOLLEY ALL CHAMPIONS
SECTOR FOURTHE FORCE COMMANDER MGEN J. J. QUINN GAVE A SHORT TALK PRIOR TO
PRESENTING MEDALS TO THE 1ST, 2ND AND THIRD PLACE TEAMS.
L TO R: R MGEN QUINN, CAPT A DAHLMAN AND LT S BAKER

The UNFICYP Volleyball Tournament was preceded by league play throughout the first half of June. The teams were divided into a East and West Division with sporting competition to determine who the top two teams were to represent each division in the Finals Tournament on 21 Jun 78. The league standings ended as follows:

East Division

Team	W	L	P
Sector Five	4	0	8
84 Sqn	3	1	6
MP Coy	1	3	2
Sector 6	1	2	2
Support Reg Two	0	3	0

The results of the match between Sector 6 and Support Regt Two were not reported as of 22 Jun 78.

West Division

Team	W	L	P
Sector Four	5	0	10
Sector One	4	1	8
Force Reserve	3	2	6
Sector Two	2	3	4
Austcivpol	1	4	2
Support Regt One	0	5	0

W = Won
L = Lost
P = Points

The UNFICYP Finals Tournament on 21 Jun 78 was hosted

and played at Sector Four's Wolseley Barracks. The teams consisted of Sector Five and 84 Squadron representing the East Division and Sector One and Sector Four the West Division. The teams upon arrival were enthusiastic and ready for the big ones. The semi-finals saw Sector Four emerge as victors over 84 Sqn and Sector Five defeated Sector One. The final match took place under the watchful eye of the Force Commander MGen J. J. Quinn. The finals match was a fiercely fought complete effort by both teams

which went five games. The outcome however saw the Canadians of Sector Four emerge as victors over the Sector Five Swedes!

All teams are to be congratulated for the fine effort and sportsmanship displayed throughout both league and tournament play.

FINAL STANDINGS

FIRST — SECTOR FOUR
SECOND — SECTOR FIVE
THIRD — SECTOR ONE
FOURTH — 84 SQN

B COY SPORTS

Hello sports fans, big Bee Company coming onto the field here. As a back-up to my last report, Bee Coy's baseball team continues in its winning ways stopping A Coy 8 — 7. This win now gives our powerhouse team a 5 win 2 loss record. Small wonder the team coach, Sgt "The Bullet" Hansen, can be seen walking around CML with a smile from ear to ear. Keep up the good work men! You're not only No. 1 in our eyes, you're No. 1 on the field as well.

Our soccer team has had a bad encounter, dropping two close games, 1—0 to HQ and 2—0 to Log Coy. In spite of this minor set-back, coach MCpl "Legs" Ledden still keeps his eye on the league championship. Nothing to worry about with this set-back "Legs", even the best have a bad game now and then, just ask Holland.

The Bee's bouncing basketball team had a couple of bad bounces which resulted in the team dropping a close game to the US Embassy. Although our score was down, the team's spirit remains high, with the result they are looking forward to their next game.

On the volleyball court we were edged out in a couple of close games by HQ, 21—18, 21—18. The loss of these close games has only served to increase the team's spirits. The Bee is sharpening its stinger and looks forward in earnest to the next games to avenge these losses.

As the bn prepares for the 01 July celebrations, all sports have been rescheduled. As a result, the other companies are breathing a sigh of relief as they get a temporary reprieve from playing the battling Bee. So until the 01 July celebrations are over this is the big Bee signing off and reminding all — Watch the Sting!



Lt Baker, the tournament organizer, receives a cooling-off, after his fine efforts.



CAPT CORRY FINDS HIMSELF RUDELY AWAKENED AT ONE MINUTE AFTER MIDNIGHT ON THE DAY OF HIS PROMOTION.



MCPL BROWN RECEIVED HIS CD



WO SAVOIE: PROMOTION IS MADE OFFICIAL



CPL M. A. MROZINSKI IS CONGRATULATED ON HIS PROMOTION BY MAJOR C. H. JUREK.